Remarks

An Office Action was issued September 16, 2002 in the parent application, Serial No. 09/654,354. In responding to that Office Action, the claims were limited to the subject matter of claims 5 and 6, which the Examiner considered to be allowable if rewritten in independent form. The present continuation application is directed to the subject matter of claims 1, 3 and 4, which were rejected in the Office Action.

The specification for the continuation application has been amended in the same manner as in the parent application.

Original claims 1-8 have been cancelled in favor of new claims 9-11, which correspond to twice amended claim 1, twice amended claim 3 and twice amended claim 4, respectively, in the parent application.

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